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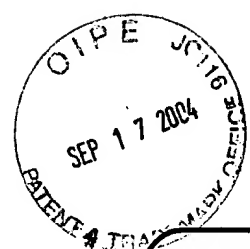
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	GF	COHEN, et al., "Modulating the immune response to genetic immunization," FASEB J. (1998) 12:1611-1626.	
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